

Opening Exercises in Junior Department, S. T. Lanham.
Temperance and Juniors, Miss Cora Holland.
A Missionary Lesson, Miss Agnes Ravenel.
Organization and Equipment, Mrs. A. F. Spigner.

SECOND DIVISION CONFERENCE

Lutheran Church, Prof. H. A. Wise Presiding.

Teen Age Organization, J. M. Way.
Missions and Teens, Dr. W. A. Brown.
Work Among Our Boys, R. C. Gresham.
Work Among Our Girls.
Training For the Secondary Division, Rev. T. J. Watts.
Report of Work Done and Outlook For the Future, Prof. H. A. Wise.
Open Parliament.

ADULT DIVISION CONFERENCE

Baptist Church, Mr. Paul Quattlebaum Presiding.

The Organized Adult Class for Men, Charlton DuRant.
The Adult Bible Class and the Work of the Church, Rev. R. T. Gillespie.
The Organized Class For Mothers, Mrs. S. N. Burts.
Missions and the Adult Division, Dr. W. A. Brown.
Teaching the Lesson, Hon. Horace L. Bomar.
Report of Work Done and Outlook For the Future, Paul Quattlebaum.
Open Parliament.

HOME DEPARTMENT CONFERENCE

A. R. P. Church, Mrs. S. B. Ezell Presiding.

Mrs. Jessie Wright, Specialist.
Organization of Home Departments.
The Birmingham Home Department Plan.
Report of Work Done and Outlook for Future.
Home Department Round Table.

TEACHER TRAINING CONFERENCE

A. R. P. Church, Rev. W. C. Owen Presiding.

The Most Effective Appeal in Securing Teacher Training.
What the Teacher Training Movement Has Done to Elevate the Standards of Sunday School Efficiency, Rev. J. W. Carson.
The Teacher Training Class in the Small School, Miss Cora Holland.
Missionary Methods For the Training Class, Dr. W. A. Brown.
Report of Work Done and Outlook For the Future.
Open Parliament.

COUNTY PRESIDENTS AND GENERAL OFFICERS.

Presbyterian Church, Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton Presiding.

The following persons are invited to participate, but the discussion is open to all:

Dr. A. L. Smethers, Anderson.
Mr. C. F. Hetrick, Walhalla.
Mr. L. M. Lanford, Pauline.
Mr. J. T. Fain, Rock Hill.



Prof. T. W. Keitt,
Delivers Newberry Welcome on Behalf
of the Sunday Schools.

Hon. J. D. Cappelmann, Charleston.
Hon. J. P. McNeil, Florence.

5:30-6:30—Reception to Delegates.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

7:45—Song Service, Mr. C. Harold Lowden.
Evening Worship, Rev. J. W. Carson.
8:00—The Bible the Source of Strength, Bishop W. A. Guerry.
8:30—South Carolina's Day of Opportunity, Dr. W. A. Brown.

THURSDAY MORNING.

9:30—Song Service, Mr. C. Harold Lowden.
Morning Worship, Rev. J. B. Green.
10:00—Demonstration: Books of the Bible.
11:00—Strong Points of a Successful Sunday School, Dr. J. A. Broughton.
11:30—Symposium: "Signs of Promise."
In the work of the Elementary Department, J. M. Way.
Among the Teen-age Young People, Dr. W. A. Brown.
In the Adult Class Movement, Dr. J. A. Broughton.
In the Sunday School Outside the Walls, Mrs. Jessie Wright.
12:15—The Sunday School and Business Ideals, Hon. Horace L. Bomar.
12:35—The Boy and the Sunday School, Mr. F. M. Burnett.
12:55—Committee Messages and Election of Officers.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

2:30—Address, "How the Colleges May Help Promote Religious Education in the Sunday Schools."
Address, "How the Sunday Schools May Help Promote Religious Education in the Colleges," Dr. Patterson Wardlaw.
Resolution presented by Dr. Wardlaw.
3:30—Temperance Address.
4:00—CONFERENCES.

ELEMENTARY CONFERENCE

Central Methodist Church, Mrs. Samuel Burts Presiding

A Bible Story.
A Song, Miss Agnes Ravenel.
Promoting Missionary Instruction, Dr. W. A. Brown.
Graded Unions, Mrs. J. W. Speake.
Cradle Roll Plans, Mrs. C. K. Earle, followed by discussion.
Open Parliament.

MISSIONARY CONFERENCE.

Baptist Church, Mrs. E. C. Cronk Presiding.

SUPERINTENDENTS' CONFERENCE.

Presbyterian Church, Maj. Tristram T. Hyde Presiding.

The following persons are invited to participate, but the discussion is open for all:

Dr. Joseph A. Broughton, Atlanta.
Hon. A. J. Bethea, Columbia.
Dr. E. C. Jones, Newberry.

5:00—Story Hour For Children, Mrs. S. N. Burts.
5:00—Special Meeting for Teen-age Boys and Girls, Mr. R. C. Gresham.

EVENING SESSION.

7:45—Song Service, Mr. C. Harold Lowden.
Evening Worship, Rev. W. I. Herbert.
8:15—Installation of Officers.
8:25—The Challenge of the Sunday School, Dr. J. A. Broughton.
8:55—Illustrated Lecture, "Child Life of the World."

PARTICIPANTS IN PROGRAM.

Bell, Miss Aileen, Aiken, County Elementary Superintendent.
Bethea, Hon. A. J., Columbia, Lieut. Governor of South Carolina.
Bomar, Hon. Horace L., Spartanburg, Member of Central Committee.
Broughton, Dr. Joseph A., Atlanta, President of Georgia Sunday School Association, International District Vice President.
Brown, Dr. W. A., Chicago, Ill., Field Worker and Missionary Superintendent International Sunday School Association.
Burts, Dr. C. E., Pastor First Baptist Church, Columbia; Member of State Executive Committee.
Burts, Mrs. S. N., Spartanburg, State Elementary Superintendent; Assistant Acting General Secretary.
Burnett, F. M., Anderson, Y. M. C. A. Secretary.
Carson, Rev. J. W., Newberry, Pastor A. R. P. Church; County President.
Cromer, Dr. G. B., Newberry.
Cappelmann, Hon. J. D., Charleston, County President; Member of State Executive Committee.
Cronk, Mrs. E. C., Columbia, Secretary of Literature for the Evangelical Lutheran Church.
Dibble, Rev. F. E., Newberry, Pastor Central Methodist Church.
Dick, Mrs. Hal, Columbia, Superintendent Primary Department First Presbyterian Sunday School.
Earle, Mrs. Carrie K., Spartanburg, Superintendent Primary Department Bethel Sunday School.
Ezell, Mr. S. B., Spartanburg, Member of State Executive Committee.
Fain, Mr. J. T., Rock Hill, County Secretary.
Fulenwider, Rev. E., Newberry, Pastor Lutheran Church of the Redeemer.
Green, Rev. J. B., Greenwood, Pastor of Presbyterian Church; Member of State Executive Committee.
Guerry, Bishop W. A., Charleston, Bishop of South Carolina Diocese.



JOHN CALVIN CARMAN
The Late General Secretary of the
South Carolina State Sunday
School Association.

Gresham, R. C., Spartanburg, Teacher of Boys' Class First Baptist Church.
Hart, Mrs. Millard, Spartanburg, Cradle Roll Superintendent First Baptist Church.
Hetrick, Mr. C. F., Walhalla, County President.
Herbert, Rev. W. I., Spartanburg, Member of State Executive Committee.
Holland, Miss Cora, Spartanburg, Office Secretary State Sunday School Association.
Jones, Dr. E. C., Newberry, Superintendent A. R. P. Sunday School.
Keitt, Prof. T. W., Newberry, Member of State Executive Committee.
Lanford, Mr. L. M., Pauline, Secretary Glenn Springs Township, Spartanburg County.
Lanham, Mr. S. T., Spartanburg, Member of State Executive Committee.
Manning, Hon. R. I., Columbia, Governor of South Carolina.
McNeil, Hon. J. P., Florence, Member of State Executive Committee.
Murchison, Rev. Hugh R., Lancaster, Chairman Presbyterian Sabbath School Committee for South Carolina; Pastor of Presbyterian Church.
Owen, Rev. W. C., Field Secretary of South Carolina Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church South.
Pendleton, Rev. W. H. K., Spartanburg, Rector Church of Advent; Chairman Executive Committee; Acting General Secretary.
Quattlebaum, Paul, Conway, State Adult Superintendent.
Ravenel, Miss Agnes, Spartanburg, County Missionary Superintendent.
Reid, Mrs. W. P., Seneca, County Elementary Superintendent.
Smethers, Dr. A. L., Anderson, County President.
Speake, Mrs. J. W., Anderson, President Elementary Union, Anderson, S. C.
Spigner, Mrs. A. F., Columbia, County Elementary Superintendent.
Wardlaw, Dr. Patterson, Columbia, Professor of Principles of Education, University of South Carolina.
Watkins, Rev. Asa D., Spartanburg, Pastor Second Presbyterian Church.
Watts, Rev. T. J., Columbia, Sunday School Secretary of the Baptist State Convention.
Way, Mr. J. M., Spartanburg, Field Secretary South Atlantic Division Methodist Sunday School Board, South.
Wise, Prof. H. A., Columbia, Principal of High School; State Secondary Division Superintendent.
Wright, Mrs. Jessie, Birmingham, Ala., Home Department Superintendent Birmingham Sunday School Association.

JEFF D. BEACHAM COMMITTS SUICIDE.

Greenville, April 17.—Mr. Jeff D. Beacham, a well known painter of the city, committed suicide Thursday afternoon about 4 o'clock by shooting himself through the heart with a single barreled shotgun. The deed was committed on the back porch of his home on Cambridge street while he was alone. When relatives arrived they found him lying on the floor with the gun in one hand and a small stick with which he had evidently pressed the trigger in the other.

His health is believed to have been the cause of Mr. Beacham's taking his own life. Just before he fired the fatal shot he sent a note to Mrs. J. T. Medlock, a relative, telling her to notify his wife, who is visiting in Jacksonville, Fla., and his brother in Spartanburg. He also left notes to Mrs. Beacham and his son, Frank, telling the former that he had pellagra and he believed his death would benefit his family.

To his son Frank he wrote:
"Try and take care of your mother. I am nothing but a wreck. I can't write more and I can't."
To his wife Mr. Beacham wrote:
"I have pellagra. I am almost

blind. I done this deed for benefit of the family. I wouldn't have anything in the world. I can't remember anything only just a little while, so don't think anything. You stay. Just my disease. Am literally burning up and choking to death. Can't last any time, and I do hate to do this, but I believe it for the best."

The coroner held an inquest this morning and rendered a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death by a gunshot wound inflicted by his own hand.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral, pending the arrival of Mrs. Beacham from Jacksonville.

Mr. Beacham was about 60 years of age and leaves his wife, one son and two daughters. He had made his home in Greenwood for a number of years and leaves many friends who will sympathize with his family.

There are many ways of getting money, one of the most unpopular of which with many people being manual labor.—Houston Post.

When the war is over it will be easy for the European nations to pay off the war debts. Just fence off the battlefields and charge admission to the American tourists.—Orlando Sentinel.

RAILWAY OFFICER YIELDS TO DEATH

COL. A. B. ANDREWS PASSES AWAY
AT AGE OF 74

Vice President of Southern and Head
of Many Subsidiary Lines

Raleigh, N. C., April 7.—Col. A. B. Andrews, first vice president of the Southern railway, died here tonight after a brief illness. He was 74 years old.

Col. Andrews was stricken last week with an acute attack of pneumonia and today his condition was regarded as serious. The funeral will be held at Raleigh probably Monday afternoon.

Col. Andrews was born in Franklin county, North Carolina, July 23, 1841. He entered the Confederate army as second lieutenant in the First North Carolina cavalry, was wounded twice and was a captain at the close of the war. After the war he engaged in railroad work. He held official positions with a number of roads in this State and Georgia, in 1892 going to the Richmond & Danville railroad as the third vice president. Later he became second vice president, being finally made general agent of the receivers. He was elected first vice president of the Southern railroad in 1895. He also was president of a number of smaller roads owned by the Southern, among them the Blue Ridge railway. His greatest constructive work in North Carolina was the building of the Western North Carolina railroad about 1878.

Eight ships reported wrecked in one storm off the Carolina coast proves that Hatteras holds its own even with the submarine as a terror to seamen.—New York Evening Sun.

JULIUS D. DREHER COMING FOR VISIT

Accompanied by Mrs. Dreher, United
States Consul at Toronto Will
Come to Columbia This Week.

The State.

Julius D. Dreher, Ph. D., LL. D., consul of the United States at Toronto, will reach Columbia this week, with Mrs. Dreher, for a visit of a fortnight to his brother, Ernest S. Dreher, superintendent of the Columbia public schools, and to the old home, "Selwood," in Lexington county.

Dr. Dreher was 25 years president of Roanoke college, Salem, Va. After his resignation, at the semi-centennial of the college in 1903, he spent a while in travel, study and writing, then entered the consular service, in which his usefulness has been such as to earn him unusually rapid promotion. He was four years in the South seas, at Tahiti, and two and half years at Port Antonio, Jamaica, before his assignment to Toronto.

Dr. Dreher was last in Columbia in the spring of 1913, before he was detached from the Jamaican post. Mrs. Dreher, formerly Miss Emeline Kirtland Richmond, of Richmond Hill, Scranton, Pa., was educated at Vassar college and had traveled extensively before her marriage to Dr. Dreher in 1906.

The Philadelphia Press says the Chicago election is a straw showing how the wind blows. But it's not a straw that will break the Democratic donkey's back.—News and Courier.

The "eyewitnesses" who send in his daily contribution from the trenches writes very very much like a man who is securely ensconced in a third-rate boarding house many miles away from the scene of trouble.—Memphis News-Scimitar.

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